Case File No: AA-81924 (2928) AK-040-03-EA-008

DECISION RECORD AND FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT FOR

Chenik Bay Trespass Cleanup

I. Decision:

It is my decision to remove the structures at Chenik Bay with a BLM crew or contractor. A burn plan will be prepared to allow for the burning of all combustible materials on-site. All noncombustible materials will be properly disposed of off-site. Mitigation measures identified in the attached Environmental Assessment are adopted as part of the Decision.

II. Rationale for the Decision:

The Proposed Action has been reviewed and found to be in compliance with the Southcentral Management Framework Plan (MFP), March 1980. Objective Number L-1 of the MFP states the BLM intends to "Satisfy State and local government needs as well as public and/or private demonstrated needs for land as they arise."

The Proposed Action authorizes the BLM to clear the land and satisfy the State of Alaska's request so the conveyance of the land can be completed.

III. Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI):

Based on the analysis of potential environmental impacts contained in the attached environmental assessment, I have determined that the impacts are not expected to be significant and an environmental impact statement is not required.

IV. ANILCA Section 810 Compliance:

The decision will not significantly restrict subsistence uses, decrease the abundance of subsistence resources, alter the distribution of subsistence resources, or limit subsistence user access from currently existing conditions. No further analysis is necessary at this time.

V. Adverse Energy Impact Compliance:

This action has been analyzed as required by Washington Office Instruction Memorandum 2002-053 to determine if it will cause an adverse impact on energy development. The action will not have an adverse direct or indirect impact on energy development, production or distribution. The preparation of a Statement of Adverse Energy Impact is not required.

/s/ June A. Bailey, Acting	<u>05-16-03</u>
Anchorage Field Manager	Date